



COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY JOB CLASS SPECIFICATION

FERRYBOAT OPERATOR

Job Number: 20000483

Job Code: 11850V161016

Job Group: 1100 - SKILLED TRADES

Job Established: 04/01/1992

Job Revised: 10/16/2016

Grade: 10 Salary (MIN - MID):

\$12,345-\$16,355 - Hourly

\$2,006.08-\$2,657.70 - 37.5 Hr. Monthly Salary

\$2,139.80-\$2,834.88 - 40 Hr. Monthly Salary

Special Entrance Rate:

NONE

NONE

NONE

PROBATIONARY PERIOD:

This job has an initial and promotional probationary period of 6 months. For additional information refer to: <http://www.lrc.ky.gov/kar/101/001/325.htm>.

CHARACTERISTICS OF THE JOB: *Characteristics of a job are general statements indicating the level of responsibility and discretion of positions in that job classification. These are not intended to be an exhaustive list.*

Pilots a ferryboat and transports passengers, vehicles and cargo across a river; and performs other duties as required.

MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS:

EDUCATION:

NONE

EXPERIENCE:

NONE

Substitute EDUCATION for EXPERIENCE:

NONE

Substitute EXPERIENCE for EDUCATION:

NONE

SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS (AGE, LICENSURE, REGULATION, ETC.):

Must possess a current Master's License issued by the US Coast Guard to operate a motor vessel of 50 gross tons or less. Must maintain any required licensure(s), certification(s), or other credentials for the length of employment in this classification. Employing agency is responsible for ensuring employee possesses and maintains required licensure(s), certification(s) or other credentials. <http://www.uscg.mil/d17/msoank/licregs.htm>

EXAMPLES OF DUTIES OR RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE JOB CLASSIFICATION: *Examples of duties or responsibilities are not to be construed as describing what the duties or responsibilities of any position shall be and are not to be construed as limiting the appointing authority's ability to assign, or otherwise alter the duties and responsibilities of a position. This is not intended to be an exhaustive list.*

Signals vehicles to board ferryboat. Directs the loading of vehicles. Signals deckhand to pull guard chain across entry and release safety chain from shore. Operates engine power controls and steering controls. Determines course and speed of ferryboat, to move to opposite side of river, utilizing knowledge of weather conditions and water currents. Has responsibility for safe operation of ferryboat according to US Coast Guard and Transportation Cabinet regulations. Performs light maintenance duties such as checking engine oil level, changing oil and filters, greasing joints, checking hydraulic fluid, adding fuel, etc.

UNIQUE PHYSICAL REQUIREMENTS:

Work requires reaching and bending. Must have good manual dexterity and the ability to lift and carry 75 pounds.

TYPICAL WORKING CONDITIONS: *Incumbents in the job will typically perform their job duties under these conditions.*

ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS:

Upon appointment, employees in this class may be required to maintain a valid driver's license and required to drive a licensed vehicle. This status may be necessary for the length of time in this class. If this is necessary it will be listed in the specific position description for that position. Applicants and employees in this job title may be required to submit to a drug screening test and background check. Applicants and employees in positions which perform job duties that may require contact with offenders in the custody or supervision of the Department of Corrections or with youth in the care, custody, or supervision of the Department of Juvenile Justice must meet qualifications pursuant to the federal Prison Rape Elimination Act, 28 C.F.R.115.17 and 115.317.

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